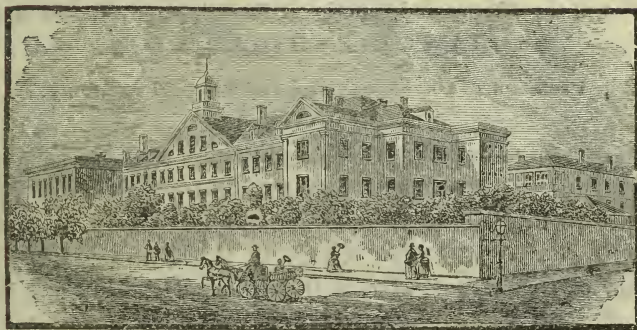


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# MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

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The next annual course of instruction in this Department, (now in the forty-fifth year of its existence) will begin on Monday, October 21st, 1878, and end on Saturday, March 8th, 1879.\* The first three weeks of the term will be devoted exclusively to Clinical Medicine and Surgery in the wards and amphitheatre of the Charity Hospital; Practical Chemistry, under the direction of the Professor in the Chemical Laboratory; and Practical Anatomy in the spacious and airy Anatomical Rooms of the University.

The means of teaching now at the command of the faculty are unsurpassed in the United States. As evidence of this, it may be stated that, in addition to the regular didactic lectures given by the several professors, there is attached to most of the chairs, practical departments, in which students can observe and verify for themselves the facts inculcated and discussed in the lecture room. It is to this peculiar feature of the University, and its unequalled hospital advantages, that the Faculty would direct the attention of graduates, as well as students of medicine.

Since the publication of the last Annual Circular, the Faculty of the University and the community at large have been called to mourn the death of A. H. CENAS, M. D., Emeritus Professor of Obstetrics, who departed this life January 10th, 1878, and was followed to his grave by the professors and students. Professor CENAS retired from active duty as practitioner and teacher in 1863, but ever retained a lively interest in the profession, and in this institution which he had assisted in founding. He was the last living representative of the original Faculty, and died after a long life of usefulness and unsullied honor.

## Clinical Instruction at the Great Charity Hospital.

It is universally admitted that without abundant anatomical and clinical material no medical school, however numerous or eloquent its professors, can possibly fit its pupils for practical professional life. It is equally necessary in cities where such advantages exist, that these should be properly used; that the students should be required under the direction of the teacher, to examine patients for themselves, to keep records of cases, to note daily changes which may occur, and thus to acquaint themselves by direct observation with the progress and termination of diseases and accidents. The mere introduction of a patient into an amphitheatre, and the discussion of his case by the professor in the presence of a large class, is no substitute for bed-side instruction, such as is afforded by the great Charity Hospital of New Or-

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\* The ungenerous attempt to prejudice students against coming to New Orleans by the publication of unfavorable statements concerning the health of the city, is unworthy of notice, except to inform any who may be ignorant of the fact that only one epidemic of Yellow Fever (1867) has occurred here in twenty years (1858). During the forty-four years of the existence of the institution, no student has died from this cause during lecture term. Indeed, we think it may be shown that the mortality among the students of the University, from all causes combined, is less than that in any other Medical College in the United States. In proof of this, we take great pleasure in referring to the fact that only a single death has taken place during the term, since 1872.



ment attend the lectures upon *Materia Medica* and *Chemistry*, and receive practical instruction in the *Chemical Laboratory*. Attendance upon two such courses entitles them to appear as candidates for the degree of *Master of Pharmacy*, which is publicly conferred at the *Annual Commencement* by the *President of the University*, upon the recommendation of the *Faculty*.

The fees for the lectures are forty dollars per session, and for graduation twenty dollars; but as the course is included in that of *Medicine*, students who graduate in the latter and wish also to take the degree in *pharmacy*, pay in addition only the diploma fee.

### Text Books.

The books mentioned below are recommended in preference to others; but recent editions of any standard works may be used in their stead.

Druitt's *Gross's* or *Ashurst's Surgery*.  
 Bristowe's, *Flint's* or *Robert's Practice of Medicine*.  
 Carpenter's, *Dalton's* or *Flint's Physiology*.  
 Orth's *Pathological Anatomy*; and *Delafield's Morbid Anatomy*.  
 Leishman's or *Playfair's Obstetrics*.  
 Barnes' *Diseases of Women*.  
 West's *Diseases of Children*.  
 Fowne's or *Graham's Chemistry*.  
 Richardson's, *Gray's* or *Wilson's Anatomy*.  
 Ringer's or *Waring's Therapeutics* and *U. S. Dispensatory*.

Boarding and lodging are as cheap in *New Orleans* as in any other large city. The janitor, who is always in attendance, will aid students in procuring apartments.

☞ The Administrators of the *Charity Hospital* elect annually by competitive examination, in *March*, twelve *Resident Students*, who are maintained by the institution.

T. G. RICHARDSON, M. D.

*Dean of the Faculty.*

NEW ORLEANS, June, 1878.

### GRADUATES OF 1878.

At a public commencement held *March 15, 1878*, the degree of *Doctor of Medicine* was conferred upon the following graduates by the *Hon. RANDELL HUNT, LL. D.*, *President of the University*. The salutatory address was delivered by *Professor JOHN B. ELLIOTT, M. D.*, and the valedictory by *THOMAS J. WOOLF, M. D.*, of *Alabama*.

BAIRNSFATHER, H. M.....	Louisiana.
BARRY, EDGAR S.....	Louisiana.
BEMISS, JOHN H.....	Louisiana.
BIENVENU, DELPHIN.....	Louisiana.
BLACK, JOHN A.....	Texas.
BOWMAN, MARTIN L.....	Louisiana.
BRAGG, JOHN M.....	Arkansas.
CARTER, JAMES T.....	Texas.
CAULFIELD, GEORGE V.....	Mississippi.
CUNNINGHAM, WM. M.....	Texas.

DAVIS, JOSEPH L .....	Mississippi.
DUPUY, ALBERT G .....	Texas.
FREUND, MAURICE .....	Louisiana.
GILL, SIMON G. ....	Louisiana.
GROSART, MAXIMILIAN F .....	Louisiana.
GRIFFIN, LOUIS M. ....	Louisiana.
GRIFFIN, JOSEPHUS H .....	Louisiana.
HARANG, WILLIAM F .....	Louisiana.
HARRY, JOHN J .....	Mississippi.
HAYDEN, MANUEL M .....	Louisiana.
HAYES, JAMES P .....	Louisiana.
HICKS, DELANA P .....	Louisiana.
HILL, HOMER B .....	Texas.
HOLLOWAY, JOSEPH A .....	Louisiana.
JANIN, JULES .....	Louisiana.
JOHNS, PERCY W .....	Texas.
JONES, PHILIP H .....	Louisiana.
KIBBE, WILLIAM G .....	Louisiana.
LANGENBECKER, CHAS. O .....	Louisiana.
McBRIDE, JOHN A .....	Mississippi.
MARTIN, W. McDONALD .....	Mississippi.
MARTIN, CHARLES N .....	Arkansas.
MERCIER, CHARLES S .....	Louisiana.
METCALFE, Henry L .....	Louisiana.
OLLIPHANT, SAMUEL B .....	Alabama.
PARRA, HENRY A .....	Louisiana.
PRIESTLEY, CHARLES S .....	Mississippi.
RABB, EDWARD M .....	Texas.
ROSS, JAMES S .....	Arkansas.
SALMON, JOHN B .....	Texas.
SALMON, EDWIN R .....	Texas.
SIGUR, NARCISSE L .....	Louisiana.
SIZEMORE, PRESTON P .....	Louisiana.
STEWART, JAMES A .....	Arkansas.
STEWART, JOHN B .....	Louisiana.
STOVALL, WALTER R .....	Mississippi.
TEBO, LANGDON C .....	Louisiana.
THOMPSON, CYRUS .....	N. Carolina.
THOMPSON, PATRICK H .....	Georgia.
TIRCUIT, ADOLPHE .....	Louisiana.
TIRCUIT, FELIX .....	Louisiana.
VILLAVERDE, AURELIO G .....	Cuba.
WALTON, EARLY, W .....	Texas.
WOOLF, THOMAS S .....	Alabama.
YOUNG, ISAAC T .....	Louisiana.

At the same time, the President conferred the degree of Master of Pharmacy upon

BARTHE, PIERRE .....	Louisiana.
CARROUCHE, IGNACIO .....	Louisiana.
GREVE, FREDERICK O .....	Louisiana.
MAILHES, JOHN A .....	Louisiana.
MATTINGLY, ARTHUR R .....	Louisiana.
METZ, LOUIS S .....	Louisiana.
OTTO, JOHN N. W .....	Louisiana.
SALMON,* EDWIN R .....	Texas.
STUMPF, EDWARD .....	Louisiana.
TEBO,* LANGDON C .....	Louisiana.

Also graduated\* in Medicine.

## Selection of Cases treated in the Charity Hospital during the year 1877.

Of the vast number and variety of the diseases treated at the Charity Hospital during the past year, the following list of cases selected from the ANNUAL REPORT will give some idea of the great advantages possessed by the University for the study of Medicine and Surgery.

<i>Diseases.</i>	<i>Number of Cases.</i>	<i>Diseases.</i>	<i>Number of Cases.</i>
Aneurism of various Arteries	8	Burns	18
Organic Diseases of Heart..	64	Fractures	83
Diarrhœa, acute	223	Dislocations	13
“ chronic	126	Wounds and contusions..	261
Dysentery, acute	99	Abscess of Liver	8
“ chronic	46	“ other parts..	49
Diseases of the Eye	134	Epilepsy	28
Gonorrhœa	45	Hemiplegia	31
Cancer, different forms	52	Paraplegia	20
Orchitis	15	Neuralgia	26
Stricture of Urethra	46	Delirium Tremens	22
Diseases of Female Genera- tive organs	103	Fistula in Ano	16
Parturition	101	Hæmorrhoids	17
Syphilis, primary, secondary and tertiary	211	Asthma	20
Chancroid	91	Bronchitis	34
Malarial Fevers	2150	Pthisis Pulmonalis	302
Rheumatism; acute and chronic	234	Pneumonia	153
Necrosis	16	Pleuritis	32
Chronic Ulcers	300	Albuminuria	66
		Cystitis	8
		Cutaneous diseases	84
		Amputations	23

In addition to the cases admitted into the house, large numbers of out-patients apply daily, and by the courtesy of the House Surgeon and Assistant House Surgeon, are sent to the Professors in charge of wards for diagnosis, medical advice, and surgical operation.

## THE AMERICAN Medical College Association.

This Association numbers among its members a large proportion of the leading Medical schools of the United States; as, for instance, JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE, Philadelphia, BELLEVUE HOSPITAL MEDICAL COLLEGE, and the COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS, New York, CHICAGO MEDICAL COLLEGE, etc., etc. At the meeting, at Chicago, June 3rd, 1877, it was resolved that all the colleges comprising the Association should publish the “Articles of Confederation”, at least



once in connection with their Annual Circular. As the Circular of this institution, for 1877, was already printed and distributed before the meeting took place, we have had no opportunity to comply with the resolution until now.

The Provisional Association of American Medical Colleges met in Chicago on Saturday, June 2d, pursuant to the call of its President. On Monday, June 4th, it adjourned *sine die*, and a permanent organization, known as the AMERICAN MEDICAL COLLEGE ASSOCIATION, entered upon its career. The Colleges present (through their delegates, twenty-three in number,) signed the Constitution, By-Laws and Articles of Confederation. The following are the Articles of Confederation agreed upon.

## ARTICLES OF CONFEDERATION.

(To be subscribed and conformed to by all the Colleges of the Association.)

### ARTICLE I.—OF THE FACULTY.

The medical members of the Faculty must be *regular* graduates or licenciates and practitioners of medicine in good standing, using the word "regular" in the sense commonly understood in the medical profession.

### ARTICLE II.—OF TUITION.

SEC. 1 The scheme of tuition shall provide for a yearly systematic course of instruction covering the general topics of Anatomy, including dissections, Physiology, Chemistry, Materia Medica, and Therapeutics, Obstetrics, Surgery, Pathology, and Practice of Medicine. The collegiate session wherein this course is given shall be understood as the "regular" session.

### ARTICLE III.—REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION.

No person, whether a graduate in Medicine or not, shall be given a Diploma of "Doctor of Medicine" who shall not have fulfilled the following requirements, *except* as hereinafter provided for in Article IV :

1. He must produce satisfactory evidence of good moral character, and of having attained the age of twenty-one years.

2. He must file a satisfactory certificate of having studied medicine for at least three years under a *regular* graduate or licentiate and practitioner of medicine, in good standing, using the word "regular" in the sense commonly understood in the medical profession. No candidate shall be eligible for final examination for graduation unless his term of three year's study shall have been completed, or shall expire at a date not later than three months after the close of the final examinations. This section to take effect at and after the session of 1879-80.

3. He must file the proper official evidence that, during the above-mentioned three years, he has matriculated at some affiliated college, or colleges, for two regular sessions, and in the course of the same (except as provided in 4), has attended two full courses of instruction on the seven topics mentioned in Article II. But the *latter*, at least, of the two full courses must have been attended at the College issuing the Diploma. No two consecutive courses of instruction shall be held as satisfying the above requirements unless the time between the beginning of the first course and the end of the second is greater than fifteen months.

4. In case a College shall adopt a systematic graduated scheme of tuition, attendance on the whole of the same shall be equivalent to the requirements mentioned in 3, *provided* such scheme includes instruction in the seven topics mentioned in Article II, and require attendance at least at two yearly regular collegiate sessions of not less than twenty weeks' duration each.

5. The candidate must have passed a personal examination before the Faculty on all seven of the branches of medicine mentioned in Article II.

6. He must have *paid in full all college dues*, including the graduation fee.

#### ARTICLE IV.—OF HONORARY DEGREES.

An honorary degree of "Doctor in medicine" may be granted, in numbers not exceeding one yearly, to distinguished physicians or scientific men of over forty years of age. But in such case the diploma shall bear across its face the word "Honorary" in conspicuous characters, and the same word shall always be appended to the name of the recipient in all lists of graduates.

#### ARTICLE V.—OF FEES.

SEC. 1. All fees shall be paid in lawful money, and no promissory notes or promises to pay shall be accepted in lieu of cash for payment of fees.

SEC. 2. No ticket or other certificate of attendance upon college exercises shall be issued to any student until the dues for the same shall have been fully paid.

SEC. 3. The established fees for the exercises of the regular session—except the matriculation fee, graduation fee, fee for dissections—may be reduced not more than one half to graduates of other affiliated colleges of less than three years' standing, and to undergraduates of the same who have already attended two full courses of the instruction of the regular session.

SEC. 4. The same fees may be remitted altogether to a college's own alumni, to graduates of other affiliated colleges of three years standing (the three years dating from the time of graduation, and ending at the close of the regular session for which the tickets are given), to undergraduates who have already attended two full courses of the instruction of the regular session, the latter of which at least shall have been in the college making the remission, and to theological students when not candidates for a diploma.

SEC. 5. The same fees may be reduced or remitted to deserving, indigent students, to a number not exceeding *five* per cent. of the number of matriculates at the previous regular session of the college.

SEC. 6. Under no circumstances whatever other than the above shall the faculties, or any member of the same, grant *upon their own authority* any remissions or reductions of established fees. And it is distinctly understood and agreed that the faculties will discountenance and oppose the authorizing by governing boards of admission of individual students on other than the regularly established charges for their grade.

SEC. 7. Remission or reduction of fees for other exercises than those of the regular session, return to any student of any moneys after payment of fees, or an appropriation of funds of the college for payment of



any student's fees, or part thereof, shall be deemed violation of the provisions of this article in regard to remission or reduction of fees.

ARTICLE VI.—OF RECOGNITION OF OTHER COLLEGES.

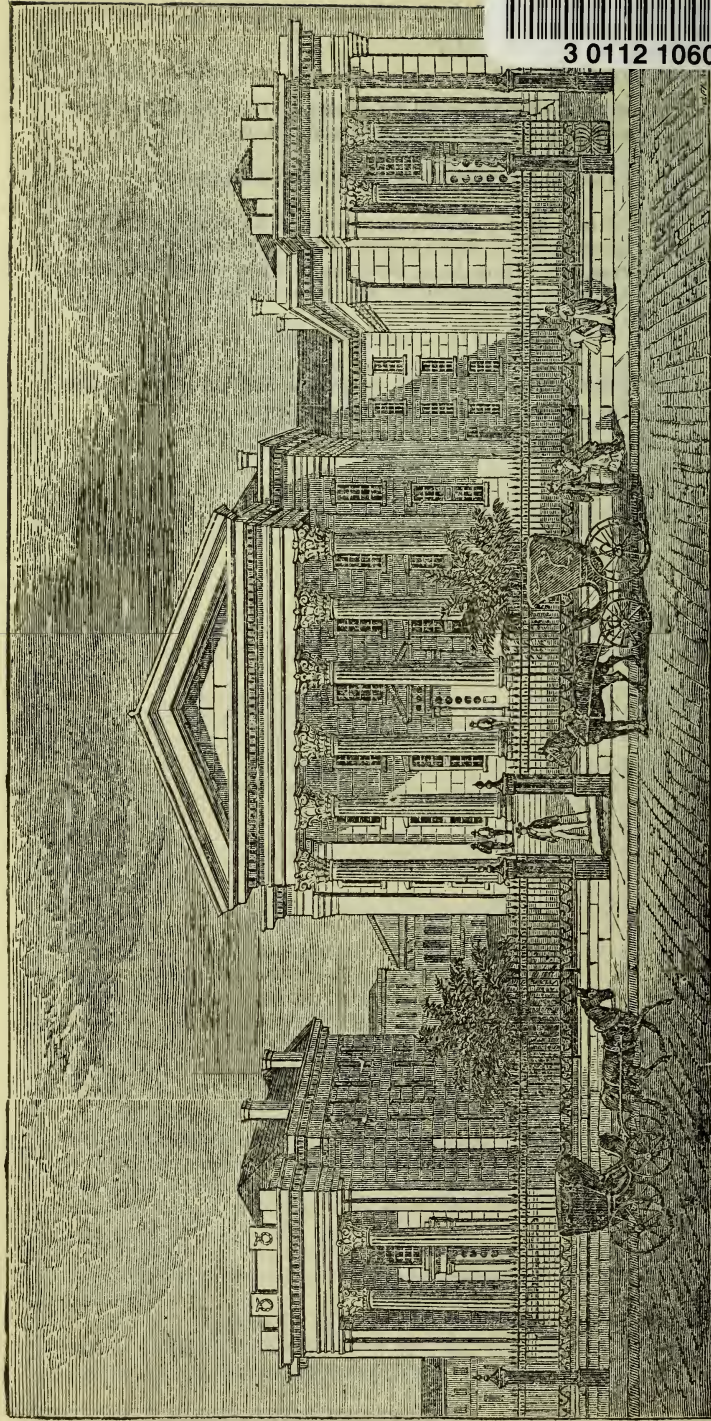
No College shall admit to the privileges accorded in Articles III and V, the students or graduates of any College which, during any period of the student's or graduate's pupilage, shall have been excluded from the list of affiliated Colleges recognized by the Association.

ARTICLE VII.—AMENDMENTS.

Amendments to these Articles shall be proposed and adopted in the manner prescribed for amendments to the Constitution.



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